

## ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY



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## **PUBLIC NOTICE**

## PROPOSED SILVER BAR MINE REGIONAL MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE LANDFILL PINAL COUNTY, ARIZONA

The Arizona Department of Environmental Quality (ADEQ) has received a solid waste facility plan application to construct and operate the proposed Silver Bar Mine Regional Landfill from Cowley Management, LLC. The proposed Silver Bar Mine Regional Landfill is located northeast of Florence, Arizona, approximately 6 miles east of State Route 79, off of East Cottonwood Canyon Road. This notice commences a 30-day written public comment period from August 7, 2008 through September 8, 2008.

The proposed municipal solid waste landfill is located on approximately 758 acres of privately owned land and will have a final waste footprint of approximately 207 acres. The proposed landfill would serve communities within the northern Pinal County area. The landfill design includes a composite liner system with a 60-mil thick high density polyethylene (HDPE) geomembrane placed over a geosynthetic clay liner (GCL), an under-drain system for groundwater collection and control, leachate collection and recovery system, landfill gas system, stormwater controls and a protective final cover.

The complete record is available at the ADEQ Phoenix Office at 1110 West Washington Street and may be reviewed from 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday, excluding State holidays. To arrange an appointment to review this record at ADEQ, contact the ADEQ Records Center at (602) 771-4380.

ADEQ invites all interested persons to submit written comments concerning the proposed modifications. All written comments must be signed by the person making the comments and include his/her name and address. All comments must be submitted to ADEQ post-marked by the close of the public period on September 8, 2008. Submit your comments to:

Denise L. McConaghy, P.E., Manager ADEQ Solid Waste Plan Review Unit Arizona Department of Environmental Quality 1110 West Washington Street Phoenix, Arizona 85007

ADEQ will review all written comments. If the Director finds sufficient degree of public interest in the proposed modifications, or he finds that a hearing might clarify one or more issues involved in the amendment approval, the Director will schedule a public hearing on this matter.